

**WEATHER**  
Fair tonight, becoming unsettled Sunday. Not much change in temperature.

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## WOMAN CHOSEN AS MEMBER OF SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. George W. Lueck is First of Her Sex in La Crosse Elected to Hold a City Office

## MRS. TABBERT DEFEATED BY NARROW MARGIN OF ONE VOTE

Common Council Asks the Utilities for Lower Rates and Concessions

MRS. GEORGE W. LUECK, 933 Rose street, wife of Dr. Lueck, has the honor of being the first woman elected to public office in La Crosse, following the triumph of suffrage in this country. Mrs. Lueck was elected member of the board of education to succeed C. L. Lien, by the common council Friday night. A south side woman, Mrs. A. D. Tabbert, came within one vote of winning a place on the board of education, being defeated by William Lueening, present incumbent, 10 to 9.

The victory of the women of La Crosse in placing a member of their sex on the school board was the direct result of action of the Community Council, which adopted a resolution pledging support to the cause at its last meeting. A vigorous campaign, led by Mrs. E. C. Thompson and aided by ward captains and others, was conducted during the past week among the aldermen.

A large gathering of women attended the council meeting Friday night, and announcement of the election of Mrs. Lueck was greeted with a hearty round of applause.

**Two Get All Votes**

J. B. Murray was nominated for member of the board of education to succeed himself by Alderman Smith, and elected without opposition. Horace K. Holley was nominated for another term by Alderman Worth and also received all the votes.

The first contest developed when time came to elect a successor to C. L. Lien. Alderman Rice nominated Mr. Lien to succeed himself and Alderman Neuberg nominated Mrs. Lueck.

Mrs. Lueck was elected by a vote of 11 to 8, as follows:

For Mrs. Lueck—Aldermen Collins, Dubsch, Dubraks, Fraser, Funk, Mulder, Neuberg, Smith, Verchota, Weigel, Worth—11.

For Mr. Lien—Aldermen Kienholz, Mahoney, Muenzenberger, Rice, Robinson, Roellig, Storaandt, Strauss—8.

Alderman Roellig nominated William Lueening to succeed himself on the board. Alderman Weigel nominated Mrs. A. D. Tabbert. The vote follows:

For Mr. Lueening—Aldermen Dubsch, Funk, Kienholz, Muenzenberger, Mulder, Rice, Robinson, Roellig, Storaandt, Strauss—10.

For Mrs. Tabbert—Aldermen Collins, Dubsch, Dubraks, Fraser, Mahoney, Neuberg, Smith, Verchota, Weigel, Worth—9.

**After Utilities**

Demand upon local utilities for lower rates and other concessions featured the monthly meeting of the council Friday night.

Alderman Mahoney asked that the street car company be authorized to sell 50-trip books on the cars or in the vicinity of Fourth and Main streets. Under the ruling of the railroad commission granting increased fares, the company is authorized to

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## Badger Rate Case To Go To Supreme Court

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Judges Alschuler and Baker of the United States court of appeals, sitting with Judge Geiger in federal court here, today ordered the issuance of a temporary injunction restraining the state of Wisconsin from interfering with the enforcement of the order of the interstate commerce commission establishing a 3.6 cents per mile passenger rate, and other increases in rates on railroads in Wisconsin.

The state announced its intention to make an immediate appeal to the U. S. supreme court.

**New York Blocks Roads**

KINGSTON, N. Y.—An injunction restraining sixty-one railroads from increasing their intrastate passenger rates 20 percent, as ordered by the interstate commerce commission, was continued in effect by Supreme Court Justice Hasbrouck here today.

## BUSINESS FORMS CONCERN TO BACK FOREIGN TRADE

Thirty Noted Business Leaders Chosen to Organize Huge New Corporation

**HERBERT HOOVER ONE OF LEADERS IN MOVEMENT**

Expect to Have Corporation Going by New Year's

CHICAGO, Ill.—With the object of financing long-time foreign loans to build up the export trade of the United States, the foreign trade financing corporation was launched here today and a committee of thirty was named to perfect the organization immediately.

John McHugh, vice president of the Mechanics and Metals National bank of New York, was named to head the committee and has consented to serve as permanent chairman of the board of directors.

Following addresses by Herbert Hoover, Secretary Redfield, leading American bankers, industrial and agricultural heads, a committee on plan and scope this morning presented its conclusions to the conference, which was called by the American Bankers' association.

**Hundred Million Capital**

The committee named a permanent organization committee of thirty prominent business men, recommended organization of a corporation capitalized at \$100,000,000 with a potential capacity of one billion dollars and asked for an immediate \$100,000 subscription to underwrite the corporation's organization activities.

The report of the committee was unanimously adopted. It is planned to have the corporation in operation by January 1, 1921.

"In presenting any message from the conference to the country, the first thing to be emphasized is the fine spirit of co-operation and co-ordination manifested on every side," Mr. McHugh, chairman of the permanent committee, told the Associated Press, "and the universal desire expressed at the meeting to take action which would result in benefit to the country. For the first time in the history of finance, commerce, industry and agriculture, representatives of all four gathered for a common purpose, and to a definite end."

**"Opens New Day"—Redfield**

"This meeting marks the opening of a new day," declared William C. Redfield, former secretary of commerce, after the conference. "I hope that the time will come when every industry will look back on this occasion as the time when things began."

The committee named to supervise the formation of the corporation includes:

John McHugh, chairman of the committee on commerce and marine of the American Bankers' association, chairman; Herbert Hoover, Charles H. Sabin of New York; John S. Druce, San Francisco; James B. Forgan, Thomas E. Wilson, Arthur Reynolds, Alexander Legg, Joseph H. De Frees, all of Chicago; M. O. Watts, St. Louis; J. R. Howard, Cleveland; J. B. Guberson, Wichita Falls, Texas; Levi L. Ruben, Philadelphia; Philip Stockton, Boston; Oscar Wells, Birmingham, Ala.; Julius H. Barnes, Duluth, Minn.; Herbert Myrick, Springfield, Mass.; E. M. Herr, Pittsburgh; Roy D. Chapin, Detroit; John J. Ruskob, Wilmington; Charles A. Hirsch, Cincinnati; Peter W. Goebel, Kansas City, Kan.; Thomas B. McAdams, Richmond, Va., and John Sherwin, Cleveland.

**TELEPHONE POSTS NOT PLACE TO HANG ADVERTISING BILLS**

Advertising bills must be kept off telephone and telegraph poles and other convenient posting places within the city limits, City Attorney Oscar J. Swenson has ruled. Complaints of telephone posts being used for this purpose prompted the ruling from the city attorney.

## FORMAL INVITATION TO RETURN SENT TO FORMER GREEK KING

Official Notification of Result of Plebiscite Received by Constantine

**MONARCH'S ADVISER AND AIDE PROHIBITED FROM RETURNING**

Former Foreign Minister and Navy Officer are Barred

LUCERNE, Switzerland.—By The Associated Press.—Official notification of the plebiscite in Greece and an invitation to return to Athens and ascend the Greek throne immediately, were received by former King Constantine here this morning.

Prof. Georgios Streit, former foreign minister and Constantine's chief adviser during his exile, who is reported to be pro-German, and Captain Stefan Paparrigopoulos, commandant in the Greek navy and Constantine's aide-de-camp, are prohibited from returning to Greece by the Greek government in the telegram inviting Constantine to return.

The Greek government notified Constantine it will have a Greek cruiser and an escort of warships to receive him and his family at Venice Wednesday.

The family will leave Lucerne on an ordinary train probably on Monday.

**Battleship to Meet Him**

ATHEENS.—By The Associated Press.—The Greek battleship Averoff, commanded by Admiral Hotis, left Piraeus last evening for Venice, accompanied by a number of smaller vessels.

Speculation in foreign exchange has stopped temporarily, but the drachma is quoted at fourteen to one dollar. It is planned to draw the balance of Greek credits in America to meet the present difficulties facing the government.

Three hundred members of the Greek staff who were appointed during the regime of former Premier Venizelos have been superseded by royalist officers.

## WONT CUT PAY NOR OUTPUT ANNOUNCES SALEM COTTON MILL

SALEM, Mass.—The 1,100 operatives of the Naumkeag steam cotton company were notified that the directors have decided to continue operating the mills with no immediate reduction in the rate of wages, and no curtailment of production or working hours. The announcement, coming on the heels of the recent conference of mill owners in Boston at which a cut of 22 1/2 per cent in wages was predicted, was hailed with satisfaction here.

## RUMANIAN CAPITAL UNDER MARTIAL LAW AFTER EXPLOSION

PARIS.—Bucharest, capital of Rumania, is under martial law, according to an official announcement at the Rumanian legation here. This step was a result of disorders which culminated on Thursday in the explosion of a time bomb beneath the speaker's tribune of the Rumanian senate.

Bishop Radon, of the senate was killed, and General Conda, president of the assembly, and other officials were wounded.

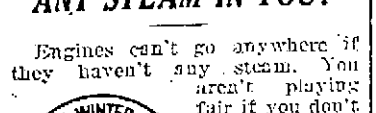
## POLICE BREAK UP FIRST SOCIALIST MEETING IN TOKIO

TOKIO, Dec. 10.—By The Associated Press.—The first attempt to hold a mass meeting of socialists representing all parts of Japan was broken up by police today. Five hundred persons attended but about half were plain-clothes policemen.

Two hundred policemen in uniform also were present.

## ANY STEAM IN YOU?

Engines can't go anywhere if they haven't any steam. You aren't playing fair if you don't wear a red button. What's it mean? Means the people of La Crosse are making it pleasant for the people who are helping to make food better and cheaper for them. How come? The Agricultural Experiment association has been teaching farmers this in Wisconsin for a generation. A good many of them have learned it, others will. They are going to have a Corn and Grain show here in January. The people who buy one red button for a dollar will be the hosts and hostesses. And wearing the button will prove you're on the general committee. Are you boosting for the Carnival?



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## BOMB FACTORY UNCOVERED IN IRISH CAPITAL

Raid on Bicycle Repair Shop Nets Police Large Quantities of Arms and Explosives

**EXPECT TEST VOTE ON IRISH QUESTION IN COMMONS**

Believed Vote Will Ascertain Stability of the Lloyd George Government

DUBLIN.—A plant for the manufacture of bombs was discovered during an early morning raid today on a bicycle repair shop in Parnell street, in the center of Dublin.

Large quantities of arms, ammunition, bombs and gelignite were seized. Three men were arrested, one of whom was shot and wounded while attempting to escape.

**Test Vote Anticipated**

LONDON.—Debate on the government's Irish policy is expected to be opened in the house of commons by liberal leaders next Tuesday. Announcement of martial law in Southwestern Ireland, made by Premier Lloyd George Friday, was accompanied by intimations that debate on the subject was not desired, but it appears probable the lower house of parliament may be called upon to decide whether the cabinet's plans regarding Ireland are to be carried into execution without the acquiescence of the legislative branch of the government.

This question, should it come to a vote, would test the stability of the Lloyd George cabinet.

Although the declaration of martial law in Ireland has been decided upon, the door to negotiations between the government and the Sinn Fein is not considered closed.

**Wise Action Says Press**

Comment in this morning's newspapers relative to the government's Irish policy, was restrained, and, with the exception of one journal, the government's proposals were nowhere wholly condemned. The feature of the premier's speech that did not escape notice was the fact that he was, in effect, holding an olive branch in one hand and the sword in the other.

"Few will question the wisdom and propriety of the new policy," said the London Times, "if the government shows a true purpose to encourage the forces making for honorable settlement. Martial law under responsible control is preferable to the present system of indiscriminate and lawless reprisals."

The Daily News believes conditions in districts affected by martial law should be better, provided there is proper administration of the military regime.

The only note of condemnation came from the Daily Herald, organ of labor. It said the premier "definitely has pledged himself to a violation of justice, and has sworn to crush Ireland by jack-boots brutality."

The newspaper asked British labor whether it is going to "take the responsibility of supporting and justifying the wickedness of the government's coercion policy, and thus dye its hands with the blood of its Irish comrades."

## WOLFE IS ON LIST TO BE CONSIDERED FOR JUDGE'S BERTH

La Crosse Federal Officer One of Three Recommended for United States Judge

United States District Attorney A. C. Wolfe is one of three candidates recommended by Joseph Martin of Green Bay, Wisconsin member of the democratic national committee, for appointment as federal judge in the Western district of Wisconsin to succeed the late Arthur L. Sanborn of Madison, according to word received from Green Bay.

The other two candidates on Mr. Martin's list are William Ryan, city attorney of Madison and D. C. Donway of Grand Rapids.

Just when the appointment will be made is unknown, but it is expected that President Wilson will fill the vacancy soon.

## UNREST DUE TO FEAR OF UNEMPLOYMENT IS CLAIM OF COMMONS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Fear of unemployment was assigned as the greatest cause of unrest by Prof. John R. Commons of the University of Wisconsin in an address before the Wisconsin Manufacturers' association.

Harry H. Merriek, Chicago, president of the Great Lakes Trust company and head of the Mississippi Valley association, declared that there is occasion for nothing but an optimistic view of the future.

## REORGANIZATION OF BASEBALL PLANNED AT NEW YORK MEET

Landis Presides at Gathering to Draw Up New National Agreement

**JURIST TO HAVE TITLE OF "DIRECTOR OF BASEBALL"**

Powers Greater than Ever Possessed by Individual

NEW YORK.—The greatest convention of baseball interests ever assembled in this country, involving a program for complete reorganization of the sport's government, got under way here Saturday. Overshadowing all other problems facing the representatives from all professional branches of the "national game" was the formulation of a new national agreement. The sessions will continue several days, under the presidency of Judge K. M. Landis, newly appointed head of the sport.

Other important matters are expected to be disposed of, including important deals involving exchange of major league players.

The new national agreement, which the committee proposes to draw up, will release the one adopted in 1903 and last amended January 15, 1918, and which has been the government of baseball since it was first adopted.

It is generally expected the new agreement will take the form of two parts, one between the National and American leagues and will apply to questions involving solely major league matters, and the other between the major and minor leagues that will apply to questions involving the interests of these two divisions.

Judge Landis will insist upon inclusion of provisions outlining his power and authority as head of organized baseball and others for the general good of the sport, as well as his own protection.

When the proposed new agreement finally is in shape for acceptance by the committee, it will be submitted by them to their respective organizations for ratification. The major leagues may be able to act upon the new agreement at their annual meetings next week, and it is likely a special meeting of the national association will be called for the purpose, the organization having held its annual meeting last month.

With ratification accomplished by the organizations interested, a joint meeting will be called in New York in January for the formal signing of the new agreement.

The new agreement, in addition to outlining the duties and powers of Judge Landis, will confer upon him an official title, which probably will be director of baseball. He undoubtedly will have more power and authority than has been possessed by any individual or commission in the history of baseball.

## TOWNLEY TO DEVOTE TIME TO ORGANIZING FARMERS OF NATION

FARGO, N. D.—Chris. Le Yang, state senator, in an address at a Farmers' meeting at Langdon, N. D. Friday night, asserted that President Townley of the National Nonpartisan league, would "retire" from league activities in North Dakota and would devote his time to organizing farmers in states outside of North Dakota.

Mr. Le Yang said league affairs in this state would be directed by a committee of farmers who would engage a state manager. Senator Le Yang declared that Townley regarded his work in North Dakota as finished.

Townley is still president of the league.

## LA CROSSE POLICE ARREST ALLEGED FORGER FRIDAY

Edward Low, alleged to have forged his uncle's name and cashed a check for the amount of fourteen dollars, at La Crosse, Minnesota, was arrested by the local police Friday night on orders from Sheriff William Abbotts of Caledonia, and was held at Central station pending action of the Minnesota authorities.

Low is alleged to have found the check and to have forged his uncle's name and presented it for payment at La Crosse. Sheriff Abbotts came here from Caledonia today and will return with Low to that city where action on the case will be heard.

## MILK PRICES CUT TO NINE CENTS IN CITY OF GREEN BAY

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Milk is now being sold in this city for nine cents a quart by the Brown County Equity Milk exchange. A reduction of one cent was announced by W. E. Wagner, manager of the exchange, yesterday. He added that decreases in the production costs have made the reduction possible. The milk is sold at reduction booths. A prediction that milk will drop to eight cents a quart was made by the manager, if the conditions now existing continue.

## JAPAN CANNOT REDUCE WAR FORCES TILL AMERICA DOES DECLARES LEAGUE DELEGATE

Plan for Disarmament by Three Stages is Formulated by Disarmament Committee for Submission to Assembly; Would Retain only Military Force Needed for Police Purposes

GENEVA.—(By the Associated Press.)—A dispute between Chile and Bolivia in the league of nations assembly today has raised the possibility of withdrawal of one country or the other from the league.

WASHINGTON.—A resolution requesting President Wilson to appoint an American representative to meet with the league of nations commission considering disarmament was presented and advocated in the senate today by Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana.

WASHINGTON.—Representative Mason of Illinois, has made public a cablegram sent by him to Paul Hymans, president of the league of nations, appealing for support of the league in the effort of the commission of the Committee of One Hundred investigating the Irish question to send a special investigating body to Ireland. Passports issued by the state department to members of the investigating committee have been refused a visa by the British embassy.

The minister's action was said by department officers to have been without precedent and in violation of diplomatic usages and international courtesy. It was intimated, however, that the department would not go so far as to ask for the minister's recall as a result of the incident.

GENEVA.—(By the Associated Press.)—Japan cannot reduce her armaments as long as the United States is increasing hers, Viscount Kikuchi Ichi, of the Japanese delegation, declared at a meeting of the armaments committee Saturday afternoon when the question of disarmament was under discussion.

Disarmament in three stages is the substance of the recommendation the committee on armaments of the league of nations assembly will make to the assembly as the result of its deliberations.

The first stage would be marked by an agreement among the powers to make no further increases in armaments.

The second stage of the recommended procedure is a gradual reduction in armaments.

The third stage would be that of general complete disarmament, except in so far as arms were needed for police purposes. Mr. Dorer, delegate from Haiti, succeeded in securing the adoption by the committee today of an amendment providing for "disarmament mibus," as he put it, meaning the preparation of the younger generation for the no wonder of things by proper education in the schools.

**Refer Assembly Meeting**

Committees of the assembly were called into session Saturday morning and the meeting of the assembly was deferred until 4 o'clock. It was anticipated that when the assembly met, decision would be reached as to the manner of choosing the four elective members of the council of the league.

It has been decided by the commission on technical organizations to send the United States a special invitation to name a member of the international advisory committee which will study the question of the opium traffic. The commission will also carry out provisions relating to the opium traffic which were embodied in the Versailles treaty.

Members of the international court committee have found what they hope to be a solution of the jurisdiction problem that will satisfy those who have objected to this feature of the proposed international court. They have inserted a clause in the proposed plan which would provide that a state which is desirous of an arrangement by which an offending nation may cite an offender before the tribunal may signify the acceptance of the provision for obligatory jurisdiction. The clause would further stipulate that this obligatory jurisdiction would become reciprocally binding upon all those nations which signify their acceptance.

This is far from meeting the original demands of some states, but hope is expressed that the clause furnished by the first nations to accept the clause will be a moral force strong enough to oblige others to follow a similar course.

## CHILE TO STAY IN SANTIAGO, CHILE

SANTIAGO, Chile.—Chile will maintain her membership in the league of nations in conformity with the well-defined policy under which she entered it, "although recognizing as do the other nations which form the league, the high motives which have served as basis for the proposals formulated by Argentina in the assembly," said a statement issued by the ministry of foreign affairs Friday. The announcement followed a meeting of the foreign relations committees of the senate and chamber of deputies at which the retirement of the Argentine delegation from the assembly of the league was discussed.

**Holland to Help**

GENEVA.—Conditional acceptance by Holland of the invitation of the league of nations to contribute a portion of the military force to be sent by the league to the Vilna district for the plebiscite there was announced Saturday. The acceptance is subject to the passage of suitable legislation by the Dutch parliament.

Poland has sent a note to the council of the league requesting that the fortress and fortified zone of Grodno be excluded from the Vilna plebiscite area.

## MRS. HAMON RETURNS TO HOME IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Ill.—Mrs. Jake L. Hamon, widow of the slain Oklahoma millionaire, has returned to her home here, it became known Saturday. Her daughter, Olive Belle, returned with her. Mrs. Hamon refused to be interviewed and her apartment is guarded by two detectives.

**11 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS**







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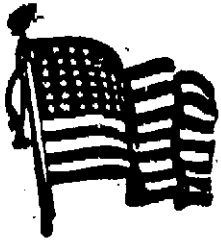
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LORD PITIETH THEM

LIKE us a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him. For he knoweth our frame, he remembereth that we are dust.—Psalms 103:13. Thou shalt make me to know wisdom.—Psalms 119:120.

## BRITISH MUDDLE

THE Committee of One Hundred is an institution of Irish sympathizers in this country who are investigating conditions in Ireland. Its existence is doubtless repugnant to the British government, and its choice of witnesses still more so. If it went to Ireland, as the British embassy refused to let it do, it might arouse demonstrations on the part of Sinn Fein. But it would succeed beyond its utmost optimism if it could do as much harm to British influence in Ireland as the British have done by refusing the vice of the committee's passport. What the committee might unearth for itself in Ireland could hardly be worse for Britain than the impression it will be given by the Irish witnesses who appear before it as attorneys for Sinn Fein. It might possibly have found some extenuating circumstances in a measure covering British policies of repression and reprisal. In refusing permission for its visit Britain has done what she could to convince the committee and all others interested that she dare not submit her Irish situation to scrutiny, and has given Irish sympathizers in this and other countries constructive basis for believing the worst. H. G. Wells holds that his country's chief characteristic is the habit of "muddle" in dealing with difficult situations. The embassy in Washington is running true to form.

## WILSON'S MESSAGE

THE president appears to have addressed himself to congress wisely. His is the word of a man whose work is done, and who mainly is but rounding out the routine of his last official day. In the few sensible suggestions which he makes there is lacking the voice of authority which he has so frequently raised, and there seems to be in some sort an assumption that his is but conventional mention of things so obvious as to be assured without debate.

The president's appeal for recognition of the world obligation which falls upon the first and greatest republic, as leader and benefactor of struggling peoples, is taken from the heart of his foreign policy during and following the war, and that he uttered it without reference to the league of nations seems to us to have been the part of wisdom. Evidently, his own plans having failed, he feels he has no commission from his people to deal further with the administration of a policy the establishment of which they had endorsed by votes and arms and all the power of the nation throughout the hard years of warfare.

The budget law, for which the president speaks, is endorsed by both parties, and will pass as a matter of routine. A loan to Armenia seems the least that might have been asked. The taxation recommendation follows the popular trend of business thought. Legislation for soldiers is pressed without an effort to shape details to any extent.

Upon the subject of Philippine independence there may be considerable debate. There are two different groups, both favoring this step. One regards the islands as a menace because of Japanese ambition, and wants the country to wash its hands of them. The other regards their liberty as earned, and a matter of right, and wants to start them walking alone, but not to surrender them from our protection. This raises one of our most difficult international problems.

The underlying thing in the president's message is its appeal for justice and peace, and he truly observes that the only sure foundation of international justice is domestic justice. The relations between man and man in various nations, as fostered and directed by government, is one of the sources from which international relations are reflected. Harmony begets harmony, discord begets discord. As the Harding administration begins at home, it is likely to proceed abroad. The day of wars over the aspirations of ambitious rulers is pretty well past. Future wars seem destined to arise out of social condi-

tions, and alignments may ignore national boundaries. Governments awake to new world conditions will be inclined to consider carefully what may be done to make life more abundantly happy and contented in its broadest levels of population.

One can not be sure that greater wisdom will fall from the pens of other leaders than that which may be the last official word of one to whom the country has assigned no further public service.

## WHO WAS BOLIVAR?

FEW lovers of liberty read the history of Simon Bolivar without a thrill. A youth at the waning of the French revolution, he lived through its last days in Paris. On his return to his native Venezuela, in 1809, he joined the rebels against Spain.

Quickly Bolivar's passion for liberty, his eloquence and his military ability were recognized. Victory, defeat and again victory sat on his shoulder. In 1819 he was able to make his historic march over the Cordilleras, a feat paralleling Napoleon's crossing of the Alps—join forces with Santander, and win the crucial battle of Boyaca.

Like Washington, Bolivar was as great a statesman as a soldier. He dreamed of a United States in South America. But just as his scheme seemed ready for fruition, political opponents balked it. If he had not achieved his great goal, however, he had set the fires of liberty alight throughout the continent. Independence, the doctrine of equality and resentment of slavery, burn as high today in hearts of South America as they do in our own.

## POLITENESS IN MEN

OLD folks sigh for the polite men of yesteryear. They were gallants, it seems—Chesterfields of manner from whom the rude fellows of our day could learn a lot, as we have been told. Their chivalry was perfect and, according to report, never did one of these old-timers permit himself to sit when in a crowd, so long as there was one woman standing.

But it is time to reveal certain facts, in the glaring light of which the average, everyday modern fellow, concealed behind his newspaper on a crowded street car, appears, by comparison, a knight of chivalry.

The manners of the old-timers—his contemporaries—are exposed by no less an authority than Charles Lamb, celebrated English essayist, who lived to the middle of the nineteenth century. In his essay on "Modern Gallantry," he tells of often seeing "women standing up in the pit of a London theater, till sick and faint with exertion, with men about them, seated at ease and jeering at their distress."

Consider now the gallantry of the modern man.

He may hold on to a seat in a street car, but he doesn't jeer at the woman standing in the aisle, as did his ancestors in the theater. In fact, he is rather ashamed of himself to be seated when women are standing, and scarcely lifts his eyes from his newspaper.

## In Ye Olden Times

## TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

E. E. Bentley, who attended the Passion Play at Oberammergau last summer, gave a very interesting and instructive talk upon the play at the meeting of the Pastors' Union yesterday.

Considerable excitement has been aroused in railroad circles here by the various rumors being circulated to the effect that railroad men will not work after twelve o'clock tonight. Firemen in particular are concerned, for if the proposed strike is called they will lose all their rights and will have to serve their three years again before they can be placed as engineers.

After visiting many cities throughout the United States in search of a competent man to take the position of health officer in this city, Dr. Edward Evans, president of the local board of health, has recommended Dr. Furstman of Chicago, who will be here Tuesday to look over the field. Dr. Furstman has been connected with the Chicago board of health for the last four years.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Branch No. 53 of the National Association of Letter Carriers held its annual meeting and election of officers in this city Monday. Ed Kavin was elected president; Ivar Thorsen, vice president; J. H. Miller, secretary, and P. Stellingware, treasurer.

The Dillon brothers, after prospecting many years, have located what seems to be a promising copper mine in Vernon county. The product thus far taken out is seventeen per cent copper and assays \$17 to the ton. School has been opened in the branch building on Eighth and Johnson streets. The building was recently moved from 16th and Winnebago streets and accommodates ninety-eight pupils of the First and Second grades.

C. S. Van Auken and wife left Monday noon for Chicago to attend the annual alumni banquet of one of the fraternities of Hamilton college of which Mr. Van Auken was a member.

## THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The Streets and Alleys committee of the common council voted last night to build a sidewalk on Main street from Thirteenth to Fourteenth and also north on Tenth street to the new jail.

Last night the common council adopted a resolution to appropriate \$5,000 to pay volunteer firemen. A rate of \$2.00 is to be paid to each fireman for every fire he attends.

County Clerk-elect Davis has begun work in the office in order to become familiar with the duties of county clerk by the time he assumes his office.

Miss Jessie Hyde, who is attending school at Canandaigua, New York, arrived home last night to spend the holidays with her parents.

## WHERE MONEY WAS

BY H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

"There goes Prof. Latham again with the Prescott girl!" and Ruth Cole drew her companion's attention to the occupants of a low-hung, maroon roadster, one of whom raised his hat as they passed by.

The woman with Miss Cole nodded pleasantly. She was a slim, graceful person, not at all showing her thirty-four years, nor exhibiting in her attractive face any of the ravages which might possibly be expected after twelve years spent in instructing giggling, irresponsible girls in the intricacies of Greek accents and declensions.

"He's rushing her for fair," rambled on Miss Cole, "and who can blame him if he believes in that old adage, 'don't marry for money, but go where money is!' Her money must look pretty good to anybody struggling along nowadays on the salary of a professor in a woman's college. But what she sees in him is what gets me!"

Hilda French turned her head away to hide an annoying but uncontrollable flush. "He's very interesting to talk to," she returned quite steadily.

"Well, you ought to know, considering he's the head of your department," and Ruth dismissed the subject for something more vital to her own interests.

But Hilda's thoughts did not change their channel, even though she managed very creditable replies to the other's inconsequent remarks. And she wasn't wondering what Celia Prescott saw in John Latham. What did John Latham see in Celia? It must be something visible to no other man, for after six seasons as a bud, Celia still bloomed unplucked from the family tree, although three younger sisters had blossomed and gone their way to adorn homes of their own.

The truth of the matter was that John Latham's head was temporarily turned. When a man gets to be forty unmarried, almost any young thing not too homely, possessing clothes which in themselves are a lure, and every kind of a device for making the time pass pleasantly, such as automobiles, speed boats, wonderful summer and winter homes, can get in her work without any help from Cupid.

Hilda, watching the affair not disinterestedly, was convinced Celia would succeed. And when one memorable afternoon she handed in her resignation as instructor in Greek and it was received with just the amount of polite regret that might be expected, she felt sure Celia had succeeded.

So Hilda quietly arranged her things in expeditious order for her successor, locked her door for the last time, gave the key to the janitor and went to live.

Well, John Latham did find time in between his pursuit of the heiress to wonder where and on what Hilda went to live.

She had said she wasn't accepting another position, and her salary had hardly been enough to enable her to save sufficient to retire on. With her departure, the man, for some reason, felt a strange sense of loss. And as time went on, he realized slowly but surely that Hilda French had been his compensation for his work—yes, just that. Always, beneath the fret of examinations to be corrected, of marks to be computed, of students who blundered callously through the beauties of his beloved Greek, had been the restfulness of her serene, dependable personality. What a fool he had been! Blind to her wonderfulness when he saw her every day, and only awakened to it when he no longer knew where to find her. For he had let her go without ascertaining her address. Finally he approached Ruth Cole, between whom and himself waged a perpetual war of the modern languages versus the classics. Miss Cole gave the information.

About that time Celia, inheriting with her sister a portion of a legacy from some eccentric uncle out West who had made a sudden fortune from an abandoned mine, had devoted a part of it to the purchase of first editions in which the dear professor must help her.

The following evening a middle-aged man, a bit stoop-shouldered yet with undoubted dignity, stood perplexed at the entrance of the Bellerose Apartments, those ultra-fashionable, albeit conservative, dwellings on the windy turn of the Lakeview Drive. John Latham, turning his back

## SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

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## INDOOR MAGIC

**MAGICIAN'S MAXIM:** If you make a mistake, pass it off in such a way that your spectators will think it part of the trick.

**Magic Arithmetic with Dice.** By means of this trick you name, without seeing them, the points on a pair of dice. It is simple arithmetic, but appears very mysterious.

Ask the person who threw the dice to choose which one of them he likes better, multiply its points by two, add five, multiply the sum by five and add the points of the remaining dice. You then subtract 25 mentally and the result is a number of two figures, each of which represents the spots on one of the dice.

Suppose 4 and 2 were thrown and the thrower says 4 is the one he likes better. 4 times 2 equals 8, plus 5 equals 13, multiplied by 5 equals 65, plus 2 equals 67. He tells you this number. You mentally subtract 25 and the result is 42. You announce knowingly that one of the dice is a 4 and the other a 2.

If the thrower had started with the 2, the number obtained would have been 49, from which 25 subtracted leaves 24. It makes no difference which way it is worked.

## Party Stunts

You are invited to send in your "Party Stunts." Your friends will be glad to know ideas that you have used at parties. Tell about them.

on wealth, was seeking love, expecting to find in inhabiting a humble, out-of-the-way abode.

Ushered presently by a soft-stepping, uniformed maid into a room whose very atmosphere breathed tasteful luxury, Latham brightly solved the problem. Hilda French was taking care of some apartment in the owner's absence. Ah—that was it undoubtedly!

As Hilda entered in a clinging, trailing gown which set off her slender figure so that she reminded him of some precious Greek vase, Latham forgot completely his surmises as to why she was there—forgot almost everything but the loveliness of her. "Hilda!" he cried impulsively, as they shook hands, and never before, except to himself, had he addressed her thus. "You don't know how I've missed you!"

"It's pleasant to be missed," said Hilda, and the music of her voice in his ears robbed the little bromidium of its commonplaceness.

"In fact, I came to—er—well, that is, after you went, I found that—"

for a skillful coiner of translated Greek phrases, the man was bungling dreadfully.

But "Yes?" encouraged Hilda, smiling ever so gently into his eyes. "Oh, my dear!" cried the man, suddenly casting to the winds the Supplic love lore he had rehearsed and was trying in vain to recall. Longingly he held out his arms, the woman came, and the desperate moment was over.

Then, a little later, "I haven't much to offer you, dear. This summer begins my sabbatical year, for which I have been saving. I want to place its disposal in your hands. Shall we stay at home and take a little house somewhere, or spend our honeymoon—not very lavishly, I'm afraid—in Greece?"

"Greece!" Hilda half closed her eyes. She was seeing it all—the sky-blue waters, the yellow-gold sand,

## THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

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The Biggest Little Paper in the World

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**MY, MY YOUNG MAN YOUR BOOY POP IS HIGH**

**WHADDA YA HEAN CHARLIN IS CLUTIN IT EYEDAD, IT'S ANYWAY**

**WELL SURE, IT ONT CONT PACHA BUT IT'S SELLIN IT EYEDAD, LESS OF COAT**

**OLD MAN PUZZLE**  
How many soft-boiled eggs could the giant, Goliath, eat upon an empty stomach?

(Answer to yesterday's: "How shall five persons divide five eggs so that each receives one and one still remains in the dish?"—Let one take the dish.)

**OLD LADY RIDDLE**  
Why is a vote in Congress like a cold?

(Answer to yesterday's: A riddleman firing wide of his target is like a man who blacks his wife's eye—because one misses the mark, and the other marks his mistress.)

**Question For Debate**  
Resolved: That a blond should have more dates than a brunette.

**WHO IS HE?**  
Explorer of the frozen North.

(Clue to day: Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph.)

Boy—"How much are the apples?"  
Fruit Vendor—"Five cents a piece."  
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## PAGE, SQUIRE, KNIGHT CRUSADE FOR HEALTH

"Take care of your inner tubes" is the main idea in a health crusade in Chicago schools.

It is a real crusade with pages and squires and knights and banners, just like in olden times.

Every boy and girl in school who wants to become a knight must first enlist as a "modern health crusader." He then receives a record sheet and each day of the week must perform and record eleven health chores.

After two weeks he can become a page. After five weeks a squire, and, if his record is unblemished for ten full weeks, he becomes a regular knight.

Two of the things he must do are wash his hands and drink a glass of water before each meal. Careful washing of face, ears and neck is required. Fingers, pencils and other things likely to be unclean, must be kept out of his mouth.

Ten hours' sleep every night, with windows open, scrubbing of the teeth twice a day; the taking of ten deep breaths in the fresh air and abstinence from coffee and tea also are necessary.

This health crusade was started by the Chicago Tuberculosis Institute for the purpose of stamping out the white plague among children.

## GIRLHOOD STORIES OF FAMOUS WOMEN

Mary Antin  
"My country 'tis of thee"—sang the school children joyfully.

The teacher looked around the room and her eyes stopped when they saw Mary Antin, the new little Jewish girl, who had just come from Russia.

Mary's face had paled and she quit singing when they came to the words—"Land where my fathers died." The teacher kindly explained to her that she was as much a patriot as were the pilgrims who had come to America for the same reasons her father had come. Mary felt better and realized that she was indeed a citizen of the wonderful new country.

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## WHAT THE WAR LEFT BEHIND---

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# LOUISE GLAUM PICTURES TO GUIDE CONTESTANTS

Resume of Striking Roles Gives Writers Key to Star's Dramatic Preferences

In order that contestants in the Tribune and Leader-Press J. Parker Read, Jr., \$5,000 scenario contest may more readily visualize characterizations which have the requisite dramatic qualities suitable for Miss Glaum, they should bear in mind that she does not want to portray the role of the curly-headed heroine.

She wants human characters that are true to life: the type of woman who has battled with life, but who has not succumbed to its snares; who

- Contest Rules**
1. Send in your name and address, age and present occupation to the Contest Editor, The Daily Tribune and Leader-Press. This constitutes your registration in the competition.
  2. Be guided by the daily accounts in The Daily Tribune and Leader-Press.
  3. Study types or roles most suitable to Louise Glaum, for your story must fit this star.
  4. Make scenarios as brief as possible. They may be in any form you wish to submit them.
  5. Contest closes at midnight, January 1.

has perhaps fallen into some of life's pitfalls, but who finally conquers and benefits by her experiences; whose purity of heart survives in the end and raises her to the plane of true womanhood.

So that you may better understand just what type of character around which to weave your scenario, and the dramatic capabilities of Miss Glaum, it is suggested that you see her in one or more of her J. Parker Read, Jr., productions.

## Real Love Wins

For your benefit, we give herewith a brief outline of the characterization of the stellar role, portrayed by Miss Glaum, in "Sahara," written by C. Gardner Sullivan. In "Sahara," Miss Glaum is the beautiful young wife of an American civil engineer, the most adored and admired woman of the world's gayest city, eating her heart out from sheer loneliness in the burning sand-sea, ruled by the mysterious Sphinx. She has weakened under the flattering attention of a wealthy Russian Baron and, yielding to temptation, and unrepentant of the genuine love of her husband and

## NOTICE!

In case scenario contestants find that Louise Glaum pictures are not looked for exhibition by exhibitors in La Crosse during the contest period, J. Parker Read, Jr., sponsor of the contest, will make every effort to arrange for the appearance of one or more pictures here if contestants communicate immediately and directly with him.

Such communications should be addressed to Parker Read, Jr., Productions, 2111 Ives Studio, Culver City, Cal., Los Angeles, Calif.

But in no case must a contestant submit scenarios directly to J. Parker Read, Jr. These must all be submitted through the Tribune and Leader-Press scenario contest editor.

year-old child, she leaves home and goes with the Baron into Cairo.

But the wife and mother fights the battle with her own conscience and again flees into the silent desert to restore the man whose mind and life she wrecked and to her child.

## Portrays True Life

In "Love Madness," by C. Gardner Sullivan, Miss Glaum portrays the part of the wife, who, while her husband awaits execution in the (rat) house at Sing Sing, convicted of a crime of which he is innocent, wages a battle of wits in the underworld, again showing Miss Glaum in a characterization that calls for the highest emotional expression.

In "The Lone Wolf's Daughter," from the pen of Louis Joseph Vance, Miss Glaum plays a dual role. This picture takes not only her acting powers, but her courage as well. Daring in mid air on a derelict propelled from an ocean freighter, and battling with

## WHEN THE KIDDIES SUFFER FROM COLDS

Give them pleasant-to-take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

CHILDREN romp around and play and become overheated. A cold often results. It should not be neglected one instant. Have Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey on hand, and give them some as directed. It is very pleasant to take and its ingredients are sure to ease the tickling throat.

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real flames, are two of the perilous tests required of her.

"Sex" is one of Miss Glaum's recent triumphs. The pivot around which the story revolves is the theory of Adrienne Renault, Delvrol, or creed of Adrienne Renault, Delvrol, beauty. "You only live once; grab everything you can get, and never feel sorry for anyone but yourself," she practiced what she preached, but there came a day when her ungodly theory exploded and the reaction left bitterness for Adrienne. Then came retribution, reputation and purification of her soul.

"The Leopard Woman" is the story of a woman spy who set out to prevent the emissary of another government from reaching a remote African kingdom. She pursued him into the desert and used all the guile of a woman's art. The story of the development of love, the fight of both the man and the woman against it and the overpowering of love's pawns in the game of life, played against the powerful dramatic background of Africa, Bajouma and the veil, constitutes a most absorbing photoplay.

## Comprehends Emotions

The title of the next J. Parker Read, Jr., production, with Louise Glaum in the stellar role, is "Love." Here she makes the great sacrifice of self in order that her baby sister may be brought from the shadows of the slums into the sunlight and receive proper nourishment. Her portrayal of the sister-love theme which runs through the story of "Love," shows Louise Glaum thoroughly comprehends the emotions that reach most deeply into the hearts of men, women and children.

## Register Now!

Scenario Contest Editor:  
I hereby enter the Tribune and Leader-Press J. Parker Read, Jr., \$5,000 scenario contest.

Name .....

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## FARMER IS KILLED BY POWER SAW NEAR SPRING GROVE

While he was sawing wood with his son, Iver P. Oppenheff, a farmer residing about five miles north of Spring Grove, was instantly killed when his jacker caught in the moving circle saw, throwing him violently to the ground, according to reports coming from that quarter today.



**AT THE THEATERS TODAY**

**Riviera**—Held by the Enemy with an all star cast.

**Majestic**—Earthbound. Basil King's famous story.

**Casino**—Five Dollar Plate and The Son of Tarzan.

**Riviera**—Neal Hart in "The Lone Hand."

**Strand**—The Secret Gift with an all star cast.

**RIVIERA**

A delightful drama of love, hate, human emotions, with a slight sprinkling of martial scenes, is "Held by the Enemy," the Paramount picture, which was shown at the Riviera theater last night. The big audience frequently attested its appreciation of the photoplay by applause.

There is just enough of the civil war flavor about "Earthbound," the story has to do with Rachel Mayne, a beautiful young southern girl, who is supposedly a widow who lives with her family in an old manor which is in possession of the federal troops commanded by Colonel Prescott. That officer loves Rachel and he is about to avow his reciprocal love, when Captain Mayne, the husband, turns up.

Mayne escapes after being sentenced to death and, after being wounded, is recaptured. After several stirring incidents he commits suicide. Jack Holt as Colonel Prescott gives a finished performance while the Rachel of Miss Ayres is excellent.

"Topics of the Day" and Fox News completes this entertaining program. Beyerstedt Brothers' orchestra have an unusually good musical program.

## MAJESTIC

"Earthbound," Basil King's powerful drama of the unseen world, will be seen on the Majestic screen for the last time today. It has enthralled the patrons of this popular theater for the past week. Not only because the story itself is intensely interesting, but because it is unique. Nothing of the kind has ever been done, a unique idea presented with the most perfect artistry. Obrecht Sisters' orchestra, Miss Julie Obrecht directing, at De Luxe Presentations.

## CASINO

A triple program greets the patrons of the Casino today only. Herbert Rawlinson in "The Five Dollar Plate," a William Flynn detective story, taken from his actual experiences while working for the government. Helen Gibson in "The Broken Trestle," a railroad drama filled with thrills. "The Son of Tarzan," a serial story, by Edgar Rice Burroughs completes the program.

## STRAND

"The Secret Gift" featuring Lee Kohlman, a new recruit from the stage, and Gladys Walton, seen here

recently in "Pink Tights," is the feature attraction at the Strand today only.

The story is one of a man who makes sacrifices for others and in the end brings happiness to himself and is one of the tenderest of heart dramas, full of human interest and heart interest. It tells a story that everyone will enjoy. "No Babies Allowed," a Christie comedy, will complete the program.

## RIVIERA

If you liked Neal Hart in "Hell's Oasis," you will surely like him in his latest picture, "The Lone Hand." It is one of Mr. Hart's best portrayals of outdoor life in our great west. He assumes the role of a lone hunter, and later turns straight. The picture has plenty of action, and the photography is very good. Many beautiful scenes taken in the Grand Canyon are to be seen in this picture.

## THE "PASSION FLOWER"

"The Passion Flower," by Jacinto Benavente, in which Nance O'Neill, one of America's foremost emotional actresses won one of the most remarkable artistic triumphs of the past season in New York, where the play ran throughout the theatrical season, was accorded the most pronounced approval by not only the regular dramatic critics, but the literary sharpshooters as well. Benjamin de Cas-

seres, for instance, gave vent to this passionate tribute to the play and actress:

"The Passion Flower" is one of the greatest plays ever written because it is a masterpiece of technique; it evokes the atmosphere of fatality in a way that has been equaled or surpassed only by the Greeks, Ibsen, Hardy, Turgenev, St. John Irving, and Tolstoy—at his greatest. It is evolved according to the best French laws, which are as profound as life. One must see this great play by washing himself clean of all his Broadway conventions. We understand why we have got to go abroad for our ideas and our art. No American could possibly have written what Benavente has done in "The Passion Flower."

Mr. de Casseres represents the literary opinion of the play. He is a leading critic and essayist. But the play made an appeal to a much wider group of admirers. The digest of the morning papers of New York, on the morning following the premiere of the play in that city, is evidence of this universal appeal and approval.

It is a matter of congratulation to the playgoers of other cities that the company which was responsible for winning these high critical encomiums from all the dramatic writers of the metropolitan press, will be held intact for the long season on the road in which the company is now engaged.

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Effective Wednesday, Dec. 8th, the following schedule of fares will be charged for transportation on the La Crosse City Railway system:

Cash fare, 7c; tickets, 8 for 50c; can be purchased from the operators of cars. Monthly individual books can be purchased at the office of the company at the rate of \$2.75 for 50 rides.

School tickets can be purchased at the High and Normal Schools, 20 for \$1.00. Children, 5 to 12 years of age, 5c.

These rates are in conformity with the order of the Railway Commission of Dec. 3, 1920.

# WISCONSIN RAILWAY LIGHT & POWER COMPANY

Miss O'Neill, of course, is the dominant spirit in the entire production but Benavente, who is himself an actor as well as a playwright and theater manager, holds the theory that a play should be a chronicle of an ensemble rather than an individual, without competent supporting members, there could be no artistic success. Richard G. Herndon, the director of this tour, and company, who produced the play, is also a believer in this policy and he has held intact in this company which assures a continuation of the brilliant work which has marked the life of the play in New York. "The Passion Flower" will be seen at the La Crosse theater on Monday, Dec. 13.

The ancient Egyptians regarded the bracelet as the symbol of marriage.

## MAJESTIC

LAST TIMES TODAY

## BASIL KING'S

Powerful drama of the "Unseen World."

## "EARTH-BOUND"

WITH AN ALL STAR CAST

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## COOPER'S Riviera

LAST TIMES TODAY

## VAUDEVILLE BOB KLOEPFIL

Eccentric Jazz Fiend

## KOLE COMEDY TRIO

Harmony singing and talking.

## MOVIE PROGRAM NEAL HART

—IN—

## "The Lone Hand"

Christie Comedy

TOMORROW

## "Cut For A Night"

Christie Comedy

TOMORROW

## "Laws Of Defense"

# RIVOL

LAST TIMES TODAY

## JACK HOLT

AND

## Wanda Hawley

—IN—

## "HELD BY THE ENEMY"

Adapted from William Gillette's famous stage success.

## Topics Of The Days

FOX NEWS

## BEYERSTEDT'S ORCHESTRA

AT DE LUXE PRESENTATIONS

2:15 7:00 9:00

## COOPER'S Strand

TODAY ONLY

## LEE KOHLMAN AND RUDOLPH CHRISTIANS

—IN—

## "THE SECRET GIFT"

The most beautiful love story ever told.

"NO BABIES ALLOWED" Comedy.

TOMORROW

"THE LONE HAND"

## COOPER'S CASINO

CONTINUOUS (11a.m. - 11p.m.)

TODAY ONLY

## TRIPLE BILL Herbert Rawlinson

—IN—

## "The Five Dollar Plate"

HELEN GIBSON

—IN—

## "The Broken Trestle"

EPISODE 6

## "The Son of Tarzan"

TOMORROW

## "Gilded Dream"

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### MARINELLO QUINT TOPPLES BUSINESS COLLEGE FRIDAY

Hard Fought Basketball Clash Ends in 24 to 26 Victory for E. M. B. A.'s

Working the fire-man defense to great advantage and displaying style of ball which showed considerable improvement over former games, the Marinello E. M. B. A. basketball quintet walked off with 26 to 24 victory over the WBU five at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Friday night. The triumph for the Marinellos in the clash last night gives each team a victory in the season's schedule this year, the WBU having defeated the Marinello team two weeks ago by a score of 16 to 17.

The game was evenly contested throughout, the first half ending in a 10 to 10 tie. Both of the quintets displayed good work on the floor but the defensive tactics on the part of the E. M. B. A.'s warded off the possibility of the Business boys making shots from under the cage. Evans played a stellar game for the Bookkeepers and was responsible for 18 of the 24 counts made by the team. Fitzer and Falb did the heavy scoring for the winners and their floor work contributed largely to the victory. Bousack's long range shots were unsuccessful to a great extent.

The Marinello team is scheduled for a game with Gale college, to be played at Galesville on December 16.

### LA CROSSE NORMAL WINS OPENER FROM WINONA "Y" TEAM

Upriver Quintet Unable to Pierce Strong Defense Staged by the Local Team

Caging the winning ringer in the final half minute of play, the La Crosse normal basketball quintet defeated the Winona "Y" aggregation in the upriver city gymnasium Friday night by score of 27 to 26.

Although the locals displayed no perfection of the art of passing, they staged a strong defensive game and held the Winonians for downs when it came to penetrating the five man defense. The normal aggregation was off form also in the shooting end of the game, missing "close ups" time and again.

Because of the strong defensive tactics on the part of the La Crosse five, the Y. M. C. A. men were forced to attempt long shots from the middle of the floor and at best were not successful. La Crosse lead by a margin of three points at the end of the first half, the score being 14 to 17. The game was remarkably clean throughout and in consideration of the fact that the game was the first one of the season, the team showed up in good style. The Winona aggregation led the locals in the final minutes of play but were outplayed in the finishing touches before the whistle sounded when the Keeler crew caged the winning count in the last half minute.



The Longley Hats took a stride and won the first two games from the Shervin Clothing company team by a good margin but slumped the standard of the initial games and lost the third. John Fuchs rolled high total for the two game winners, making 550, while Kohn topped the members of the Shervin team.

The La Crosse club 60's won the first and third games from the National Gaugers with Ott of the former rolling high total of the two games. Hunt rolled two games of 200 and better but fell off in the second game. Temp stepped ahead of the Gauge team with 552.

SHERVIN CLO. CO.		
Shervin	132	155
Kohn	139	173
Nelson	164	158
Christopherson	153	142
Aldrich	175	148
Handicap	27	44
Totals	861	882

LONGLEY HATS		
Wals	165	132
Rogstad	180	186
Kiesender	132	158
Larson	152	178
F. Fuchs	174	189
Handicap	10	46
Totals	914	944

LA CROSSE CLUB 60's		
C. Hunt	213	142
Gutterdam	184	138
Burns	134	157
J. Miller	143	157
W. Ott	191	180
Handicap	51	41
Totals	885	851

NATIONAL GAUGES		
Voneman	188	189
Exalto	138	182
Temp	209	189
Hafner	142	145
Spika	143	211
Handicap	62	46
Totals	863	915

**DIFFERENT NOW**  
ST. LOUIS—When Miller Huggins was manager here he made quite a reputation as a "David Harum" trader. But since he went to New York he isn't doing so well. Rival clubs hesitate to give the big town teams anything.

## FOUR MEN INDICTED IN PACIFIC COAST BASEBALL LEAGUE

Expect Arrest and Arraignment of One on Saturday; Charged With Throwing Games

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Arrest and arraignment were expected here today in the case of at least one of the four men indicted on charges of criminal conspiracy late yesterday by the Los Angeles county grand jury, after an inquiry of two months into charges of corruption in Pacific coast league baseball games in the 1919 season.

That one was W. Baker ("Babe") Borton, former Vernon first baseman. The other three indicted were Earl V. Maggett and W. G. Bumler, former Salt Lake outfielders, and Nathan Raymond, alleged gambler of Seattle, Wash.

Borton is believed to be in Los Angeles, where he has been employed recently by a motion picture company. Maggett is in business in Berkeley, Calif., and is under jurisdiction of any California court. Bumler and Raymond, however, are not in the state and are temporarily, at least, outside jurisdiction of California tribunals.

## "Throw" Games

The men are charged with having conspired to "throw" games in the final Salt Lake-Vernon series in Los Angeles in the 1919 season.

The grand jury's indictments cleared the Vernon team of 1919 of charges made by Borton that his team mates joined him in subscribing to a \$200,000 "pool" with which to "buy" enough games to win the pennant and that a Los Angeles fan "fund" of \$3,985 for the Los Angeles or Vernon team, whichever won the pennant, had been put to illegal use.

Borton, whose charges resulted in the investigation, made several "demands" for the inquiry before official action was taken. He contended it would clear him of charges of gambling, which resulted in his suspension. He admitted, however, he had offered bribes to a number of players on various teams in the league.

Maggett admitted Borton had paid him money, but declared it was for a gambling debt. Bumler made a similar admission, but stated Borton was paying a bet he had lost.

Both Maggett and Bumler have been suspended.

## DEMPSEY IN TRIM FOR BIG BATTLE AT SQUARE GARDEN

Champion Expresses Confidence of Win Over Bill Brennan Next Tuesday

NEW YORK — Jack Dempsey, tiger man of the ring is in tip-top fighting trim for his nearby bout with Bill Brennan, Jack admitted Thursday afternoon, and his trainer Ben Smith backed up the champ's statement with a knowing shake of his ring-wise head. There will be no more heavy going for Dempsey until the gong sends him in against Brennan next Tuesday at Madison Square Garden.

**Smiles His Answer**  
When asked if he expected to win from Brennan, he only smiled in a noncommittal way. Yet in his smile there was a certain suggestion of confidence as to the outcome. But not the kind of confidence that smacks of bloated egotism. This was taken to mean that he had carefully weighed his own ability against Brennan and

had deducted certain things. He would not have smiled his answer if there was an idea of defeat mixed up in his deductions.

"Which hand carries your strong—est punch, Jack, right or left?" "Well, I hardly," Jack began. "I'll tell you quick," interrupted Bill Tate, his big sparring partner, who is carded to go up against Kid Norfolk in the semi-finals of the Dempsey-Brennan match. "They are both the same."

**Weights 168 Pounds**  
For the last six weeks Dempsey has been going through the priming process. If you could see him now you would quickly realize how beneficial his training has been. He stands today with all of his knockout power proportioned into a "clean-cut" 168 pounds. There is a nicely about the build of this young world champion that any young college athlete might well envy.

The fight itself looks bright for Dempsey. But Brennan is tough and can stand punishment, and he always got in a hullaby wallop. There always is that chance in a fight. There will be no more sparring for the champion. He will go through only light work for the next three days.

## HARVARD HAS SIGNED GEORGIA FOR GRID TUSSELE OCTOBER 15

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—Announcement of a game next fall between the University of Georgia eleven and Harvard, to be played here Oct. 15, was made tonight by Fred Moore, graduate manager of athletics. Negotiations for a game with Chester college, to be played here on either Oct. 22 or 23, are still pending.

**THORPE WONDER**  
AKRON — Jim Thorpe doesn't know why he isn't still a big leaguer. "I batted over .300 when I was up there and I hit 'em all. You can't prove it by me why they turned me back," he says.

**PASS UP FLORIDA**  
NEW YORK—The Yankees will pass up Florida next spring as a training camp site. It is claimed that at Miami and Palm Beach some of the fellows did their road work in automobiles and came north flabby.

The wolf fish or sea cat has inches teeth, interlocking as to upper and lower jaws, and grinding teeth much the same as those of a member of the cat family.

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